Where are you going?  
Reconsidering migrations in the Metal Ages

Edinburgh, 9-10 November 2019

The Metal Ages in Europe Scientific Commission Conference,  
International Union of Prehistoric and Protohistoric Sciences (UISPP)

Saturday, 9 November

8:30-9:00 Registration

9:00-9:15 Manuel Fernández-Götz, Philipp Stockhammer, Courtney Nimura and Rachel Cartwright: Welcome and introduction to the conference

9:15-10:00 Opening Keynote: Carola Metzner-Nebelsick: Migration in the archaeological discourse: chances and risks. A critical assessment

10:00-10:30 Aydin Abar and Maja Gori: Comparing apples and oranges? Confronting anthropological and natural scientific approaches to migration in archaeology

10:30-11:00 Coffee break & Posters

11:00-11:30 Linda Melo and Ana Maria Silva: Talking about mobility between the Chalcolithic and the Iron Age in southern Portugal: Preliminary data from human remains

11:30-12:00 Philipp Stockhammer: Mobility at the onset of the Bronze Age: A bioarchaeological perspective

12:00-12:30 Katharina Rebay-Salisbury and Michaela Fritzl: Marriage, motherhood and mobility in Bronze and Iron Age Central Europe

12:30-2:00 Lunch

2:00-2:30 Anton Gontscharov, Hande Özyarkent and Thomas Stöllner: Aryans on the search for metals? Andronovo mobility updated. New data and research from Bronze Age mining and metallurgical communities in Central Asia

2:30-3:00 Valeriu Sirbu and Sebastian Matei: Relationships in the Bronze Age between the Carpathians, northern Italy and the Iberian Peninsula

3:00-3:30 Caroline Bruyere, Stephen Daly and Barry Molloy: Exploring fortification and metal provenance to understand mobility in the Late Bronze Age

3:30-4:00 Dimitra Ermioni Michael, Linda Fibiger, Ioanna Moutafi, Maria Katsimicha and Barry Molloy: Exploring human mobility and social change in the Balkans and Greece ca.1200 BC from the perspective of human remains

4:00-4:30: Coffee break & Posters
4:30-5:00 Oleksandr Shelekhan: Scythian invasions: Nomad elites in Eastern Europe (7th – early 6th centuries BC)

5:00-5:30 Veronica Cicolani and Lorenzo Zamboni - On the move. Iron Age mobility in the Po Valley and the Circum-alpine region

5:30-6:00 Peter Wells: The scale of migrations: A model for estimating how many people moved

6:00-6:30 General discussion

Sunday, 10 November

9:00-9:30 Peter van Dommelen: Connecting against the grain: Mobility in the Iron Age West Mediterranean

9:30-10:00 Alicia Núñez-García: Trade migrations: Phoenicians and the Atlantic

10:00-10:30 Davide Delfino, Luiz Oosterbeek and André Luis Ramos Soares: Effects of migrations: collaboration or resistance? Archaeological and anthropological insights on the contact between human groups during the Orientalising period

10:30-11:00 Coffee break & Posters

11:00-11:30 John Collis: Learning from the past: Models of cultural change from the 1970s

11:30-12:00 Quentin Sueur: Belgae fortissimi sunt... Identifying some regional cultural aspects in northern Gaul on the basis of late La Tène metal vessels

12:00-12:30 Mathias Seidel, Robert Knechtel, Björn Rauchfuß and Michael Meyer: Go West. Migration in Late Iron Age eastern Central Europe

12:30-2:00: Lunch

2:00-2:30 Nico Roymans and Diederick Habermehl: Migration and ethnic dynamics in the Lower Rhine frontier of the expanding Roman Empire (60 BC-AD 20)

2:30-3:00 Sabine Rieckhoff and Manfred Rösch: Emigrants and immigrants. Archaeological and botanical evidence of population dynamics

3:00-3:30 Manuel Fernández-Götz and Rachel Cartwright: Migration, colonisation, diaspora. A comparative approach between Iron Age and Viking Age population mobility

3:30-4:00: Coffee break & Posters

4:00-4:30: Luis Berrocal-Rangel and Lucía Ruano: The court trail: From medieval transhumant movements to Celtic migrations throughout western Iberia

4:30-5:00: General discussion
5:00-5:15: Short break

5:15-6:00: Closing Keynote: Kristian Kristiansen (Title to be confirmed)

Guidelines for papers
Papers: 20 mins presentation + 10 mins discussion
Keynotes: 35 mins presentation + 10 mins discussion

Posters
Sarah Dalle, Charlotte Sabaux, Rica Annaert, Mathieu Boudin, Giacomo Capuzzo, Marta Hlad, Ioannis Kontopoulos, Kevin Salesse, Amanda Sengelov, Christophe Snoeck, Elisavet Stamataki, Dries Tys, Martine Vercauteren, Barbara Veselka, Eugène Warmenbol and Guy De Mulder: CRUMBEL: Integrated approaches to study populations and mobility in Belgium

Cristina Lopes: Representation of weapons in Valcamonica rock art

Samuel Nión Álvarez and Marco A. Rivas Nódar: Exchange or mobility? Mediterranean materiality evidence at the edge of the world: The case of Elviña-Brigantium

Oksana Lifantii: The migration of ideas: Does the Near East tradition affect the ritual life of the Scythian elite?

Denys Grechko: Another great migration? About migrations in Northern Eurasia in the 6th century BC

Olena Dzneladze, Denys Sikoza and Oleksandr Symonenko: Migration or sedentarisation? The origin of the Late Scythian culture